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Inventor(s)	Francis X. Smith
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Invention:	IMPROVED OPHTHALMIC AND CONTACT LENS SOLUTIONS CONTAINING PEPTIDES AS PRESERVATIVE

In response to the Notice of Defective Response mailed September 18, 2007, Applicants submit as follows:

- This Response Letter (1 page);
- Transmittal Letter (1 page);
- Statement to Support filing and Submission (2 pages);
- Preliminary Amendment (9 pages);
- Copy (Part 2) of Notice of Defective Response (2 pages);
- Sequence Listing in .TXT format;

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any excess payments to our Deposit Account No. **50-3010**.

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